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SUBJ: COMMISSARY STORES AT ASMARA

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED REQUEST FROM MR. FRANCO CELESTE
TO LOOK INTO CLAIM AGAINST U.S. FOR GOODS HELD IN POSSESSION
U.S. NAVY COM UNIT CISCO AT TIME ASMARA STATION WAS CLOSED
APPROXIMATELY ONE YEAR AGO. CELESTE PROVIDED COPIES CONTRACT
WITH CISCO SIGNED IN 1974 AND CERTIFIED INVENTORY OF ASMARA
FREE SHOP GOODS DATED 26 APRIL 1977 INDICATING VALUE AT U.S. DLS

9,427.60 INVENTORY SIGNED BXAJON P. KARSTEN ADMINISTRATOR,
CISCO, ASMARA.ISCO, ASMARA.

2. ORIGINAL CONTRACT WITH CISCO STATES FOLLOWING TERMS FOR
TERMINATION CONTRACT:
ART. G.U.S. NAVY COM UNIT-CISCO- RESERVES THE RIGHT AT ANY
MOMENT TO CLOSE OR PLACE THE DUTY FREE SHOP AND WAREHOUSE

UNDER THEIR DIRECT ADMINISTRATION AND TO PAY THE TOTAL
VALUE OF STOCK OF GOODS AT THE SALE PRICE LESS 15% , BUT
SUCH A DECISION HAS TO BE GIVEN TO MR. FRANCO CELESTE AT
LEAST PRIOR THREE MONTHS SO THAT THERE WILL BE TIME TO
CANCEL ORDERS FROM ABROAD. GOODS FROM ABROAD MUST BE ORDERED LONG
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TIME IN ADVANCE ESPECIALLY WHEN SAME HAVE TO ARRIVE FROM U.S.A.
OR EUROPE.

ART. H. TERMINATION OF CONTRACT. U.S. NAVY COM UNIT-CISCO-
IN CASE OF UNFORESEEN REASONS MAY CLOSE THE DUTY FREE OPERATION

AT ANY TIME, BUT WILL ASSIST MR. FRANCO CELESTE TO RE-DISPATCH
THE STOCK OF GOODS TO DJIBOUTI FREE ZONE WAREHOUSE. ESPECIALLY

THOSE GOODS THAT COULD NOT BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY.

3. PRECIPITOUS DEPARTURE FROM ASMARA PREVENTED IMPLEMENTATION
OF ARTICLE G. POLITICAL CONDITIONS ETHIOPIA NO DOUBT PREVENT
IMPLIMENTATION ARTICLE H. MR. CELESTE, NOW IN DJIBOUTI , AND
WISHES TO MAKE CLAIM FOR THOSE GOODS NOW HELD IN WAREHOUSE
S-143 AT ASMARA, ENUMERATED IN INVENTORY NOTED ABOVE.

4. THIS EMBASSY NOT KNOWLEDGEABLE PROPER U.S. NAVAL COMMAND TO
SEND THIS MESSAGE AND REQUESTS THAT ADDRESSEES PLACE CLAIM IN
CORRECT CHANNELS.

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